

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVISORY COMMISSION MINUTES

April 5, 2017

6:30 p.m.

Beaverton City Library, Cathy Stanton Conference Room

Present: Commissioners Farrah Chaichi, Chase Adams, Anna Petrov, Marilyn McDonald, Phil Nagel, and Sheri Struk, City Staff Liaison Tsipora Dimant, and City Council Liaison Lacey Beaty, and Ex-Officio member Police Chief Jim Monger.

Absent: Commissioners Tag Khuri and Dana Lopez.

Excused:

Visitors/Guests:

6:30 p.m. Call to Order and Roll Call

6:35 p.m. Approval of February & March meeting minutes

- Motion to correct the minutes to be less verbose, motioned by Commissioner Adams and seconded by Commissioner McDonald. **Motion Passes**

6:40 p.m. Communications from the City Staff Liaison to the Commission

- No Comment

6:45 p.m. Communications from the City Council Liaison to the Commission

- Lacey has worked on Oregon House Bill 2004 for No Cause Eviction. OpenState is a good online resource for tracking state-level bills. Lacey is also working on improving affordable housing opportunities by decreasing fees and costs.
- Oregon House Bill 3231 would create a special taxing agency to create toll roads. The City of Beaverton opposes this bill.

7:00 p.m. Communications from Police Chief Monger

- Several promotions within the Police Department have occurred to fill leadership.
- The Police Department is wrapping up the building selection process. They are looking for community input about the building look, feel, and plan.
- The Police Department received a document about ICE and rights from Catholic Charities to share.

7:15 p.m. Visitor Comments

- No Visitors

7:15 p.m. CEC Entry Review/Voting

- Elementary Winners:
 - 1st: Gencke
 - 2nd: AI class
 - 3rd: Ryu
- Middle School Winners:
 - 1st: Castillo-Torres
 - 2nd: Takahashi
 - 3rd: Umsheild
- High School Winners:
 - 1st: Ty
 - 2nd: Blattner
 - 3rd: Tran

7:40 p.m. Subcommittee Meetings

- May Event on May 15th from 6:30pm-8pm
 - Title: Advocating for Our Migrant Neighbors
 - Decided to partner with DAB
 - Marilyn will formally ask DAB at their next meeting
 - DAB will focus on getting attendance
 - Food Options
 - Gloria Secret Cafe, but not finger friendly food
 - Iraqi Bakery
 - Persian Rose Market at Murray/Allen
 - Oyatsupan
 - Decided on Oyatsupan for \$300 for 80 pastries, 2 coffee 1 green tea
 - Panelists
 - Phillip Hornik from NLG
 - Lacey from City Council
 - Oswaldo as a former undocumented immigrant
 - Possibly a refugee
 - Possibly a representative from a refugee service organization
 - Moderator
 - Consuela from the Police Department (community outreach liaison for police)
 - Advertising
 - Social Media Push
 - Our Town blurb
- Creative Expression Contest
 - Focusing on tracking down the contact information of the submissions
 - Awards Ceremony May 2nd at City Council at 6:30pm-7pm, reception 6pm
 - Cost is marked at \$500 for everything

7:50 p.m. Subcommittee Reports

- Community Empowerment
- May Town Event
- Creative Expressions Contest
- School

8:20 p.m. Reports from meetings/events attended

- Human Rights Council of Washington County
 - Still doing the poster contest
 - Doing four listening forums
 - Oregon Law Center has a packet of information for undocumented parents
- Diversity Advisory Board
 - No attendance
- Land Use Community Advisory Committee
 - No new meeting to report
 - Working group meeting between Committee and City Council in the upcoming week

8:25 p.m. Miscellaneous

- Picnics in the Park/ Display Board
 - Dates are June 12th, June 19th, August 7th, and August 10th
 - Table
 - Display Board
 - Save papers, but get rid of it
 - Banner, possibly in HR
 - Hand-outs
 - Candy
 - T-shirts for the Picnics in the Park
- Next May Meeting
 - School Board Presentation
 - Review “We” policy
 - Open, information discussion
 - Most interested in bullying, homelessness, and philanthropy programs
 - How can HRAC support the school system
 - Policy and procedures for undocumented students and families
 - School relationship with police

8:40 p.m. **Meeting Ends**

Action Items:

- Anna: Place all prior submissions should be put on the one-drive
- Marilyn: Formally ask DAB to assist with the May Event

- Phillip: Contact Catholic Charities for having a panelist
- Chase: Confirm Oyatsupan for food
- Farrah: closing on the moderator
- Tsipora: figure out who is in charge of the HRAC list-serv
- Tsipora: determine our remaining budget